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Dear State Agency Heads:

Today, Executive Order #308 was issued in support of the State of Emergency which exists in the States of North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia due to hurricane Florence.

Wisconsin Stat. § 230.35(3)(e) allows appointing authorities to grant a paid leave of absence to a permanent state employee to participate in providing specialized disaster relief services at the request of the American Red Cross. For out-of-state disasters, agency heads may grant such a leave of absence only if authorized by the governor.

I am hereby authorizing each agency head to grant a paid leave of absence to any permanent State of Wisconsin employee to assist the American Red Cross in disaster relief efforts resulting from hurricane Florence, provided that the criteria specified under § 230.35(3)(e) are met.

Please get a list of all requests and approvals to Greg Gracz, Administrator of the Division of Personnel Management (DPM). If you have any questions, please call Tom Sandine, Director, Bureau of Merit Recruitment and Selection at (608) 267-1023.

Sincerely,

Scott Walker
Governor